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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

In response to the Non-Final Office Action mailed May 16, 2008 in connection with the above-identified patent application, Applicants respectfully submit this Amendment and Response and a Petition for a Three-Month Extension of Time. Please amend the application as indicated herein.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks / Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.